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“METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office action mailed June 20, 2005. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time extending the deadline for response to December 20, 2005. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.